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**WEARE BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MEETING MINUTES
September 27, 2010**

PRESENT: TOM CLOW, CHAIRMAN; RICHARD BUTT, VICE CHAIRMAN; DONNA OSBORNE, SELECTMAN; JAMES DONISON, SELECTMAN

RECORDING SECRETARY: Thomas Clow

GUESTS: Andy Sanborn, Heleen Kurk, Sherry Burdick

Chairman Clow called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MANIFEST

Chairman Clow read an email from the Town Administrator indicating that she was looking for more detail on a \$2,500.00 bill for the rental of a rock crusher. She wanted to talk to Public Works Director Carl Knapp before the check was issued. Several Board members agreed that payment should be delayed.

Chairman Clow moved, seconded by Selectman Donison, to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign the manifest and order the Treasurer to sign checks dated September 30, 2010 in the following amounts:

Accounts Payable	\$ 404,080.51 (- \$2,500.00) (Includes \$350,000.00 for Weare Schools)
Gross Payroll	\$ 40,204.36 (Includes Taxes, Credit Union, and Special Details)
Total	\$ 444,284.87 (- \$2,500.00)

PASSED 4-0

SENATE CANDIDATE

State Senate candidate, Andy Sanborn, was present to address the Board. Chairman Clow gave Mr. Sanborn the option of returning to speak during a regular meeting which would be televised, but he chose to continue. Mr. Sanborn gave the Board his reasons for running for the State Senate and fielded questions and comments from several Board members.

BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT

Vice Chairman Butt spoke about a beautification project leading up to the 250th Celebration. The 250th Celebration Committee is planting wild flowers and bulbs in areas around the community. Because of the high visibility of the area, the committee would like to plant in two spaces at Bolton Field. Selectman Butt asked for approval to have the Highway Department prepare two areas of about 10'X20' each for planting. The Board agreed by consensus. There will be small plaques displayed in the flower beds commemorating the town's 250th anniversary.

Heleen Kurk indicated that there may be space to plant lilacs as well. Sherry Burdick described a possible layout of the flower beds.

SKATEBOARD PARK

Vice Chairman Butt brought up an email from Weare School Board member, Paul Levandowski, concerning safety issues at the skateboard park located at the Weare Middle School. He also mentioned rocks near the playground equipment at Bolton Field, which also create a hazard. Selectman Butt suggested that mulch be used in the area near the merry-go-round to soften the area. Chairman Clow recommended that Primex be contacted for their recommendation before the mulch is applied.

Selectmen Donison moved, seconded by Selectman Osborne, to close the skateboard park until the safety issues are resolved. Passed 4-0

TOBY HILL ISSUE

Selectman Donison said that he had called Chief Begin about the issues with youth at Toby Hill. He said that the chief recommended having citizens call the Bow dispatch in order to notify Weare Police when a problem is occurring. Chief Begin will be invited to the next Board meeting to discuss the Toby Hill Issue.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:40 P.M.

A True Record

Thomas S. Clow, Recording Secretary